The purchase of clothing that is necessary for the individual to effectively participate in any of his/her approved component activities as well as for employment may be approved (e.g. interviewing outfits, special clothing and footwear, uniforms, safety clothing, business attire, etc.). The use of "career closets" is encouraged.

The maximum amount allowed for purchase of pre-employment clothing is \$150 and for employment clothing is \$200 in a 12-month period. The 12-month period begins with the initial authorization.